RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE ART UNIT 1731

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Steven Say-Kyoun Ow and Tae Jin EOM

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For: BIOLOGICAL DEINKING METHOD

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on May 9, 2006 please amend the application as follows. Enclosed with this amendment and response is a Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$250.00, the fee for filing a Notice of Appeal for a small entity to Deposit Account No. 50-3129. It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should an additional fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-3129.

PLEASE NOTE: The filing date reflected on the office action is incorrect. A request for corrected filing receipt was filed December 1, 2005. The original filing receipt

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in this application correctly reflected July 22, 1998 as the filing date. However at some point an error was introduced. This correction is merely to insure the file is accurate.